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The volume of anonymous critical papers just published under the title of "The Corner of Harley Street" has been compared by several critics with

Columbia Social News

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Columbia, Va., July 29.—One of the
most enjoyable events of the season
was the hop given by the Columbia
Collilion Club on the evening of July
29. The Town Hall was tastefully decorated for the eccasion, and Japanese
lanterns lent radiance to the festive
scene. Among hose dancing were:
Misses Nelson Richardson, Suste and
Frances Hodgson, Fayne, Leigh, Julia
and Lambert Randolph, Willard, Smith,
Mosby; Mesdamos Dabney Cosby, Marshall, Cowherd and Everett Mosby;
Messrs, Leigh, Nelson, Hodgson, Marshall, Cowherd and Everett Mosby;
Messrs, Leigh, Nelson, Hodgson, Marshall, Euser, Bernard and Philip Cowherd, Everett and Vivian Mosby, Richardson, Cocke, Peinberton and Irwin
Wood, Among the out-of-town guests
were Misses Beall, Omohundro, Randolph, Cocke, Mesdames Austin, Cosby,
Omohundro, Harlyn and Adams, The
chaperons were: Mesdames Argyle,
Cosby, Hodgson, Leigh, Morton and
Willard.

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## The Social Side of Washington.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

Washington, D. C., July 29.—The tide of transatlantic travel, which a few weeks ago was bearing scores of Washingtonians to the coronation, the Spas and the sartorial marts of the Old World, has turned eastward, and from now until autumn there will be at continuous procession homeward. Already returning travelers, having participated in the galeties of the seasons of the English and French capitals, are adding to the brilliancy of the less streams seasons on the North Shore from Newport to Barlarbor.

The special ambassador to the cortains of the King and Queen of the weeks and the special ambassador to the cortains of the King and Queen of the weeks and the special ambassador to the cortains of the King and Queen of the weeks and the special ambassador to the cortains of the King and Queen of the weeks and the weeks and the weeks and the special ambassador to the cortains of the King and Queen of the weeks and the weeks

Other men burdened with the nation's affairs shook the dust of Washington's smart set among the guests. There, also this week, took place, ington from their feet the first day of the week, but returned at once to their several duties. The Vice-President and Mrs. Sherman took a motor trip to nearby towns, which gave them the desired change of seene and at the Same time a more intimate acquaint ance with the highways and byways around the capital. They wandered far, but not so far as to prevent Mr. Sherman's presence at the opening session of the Senate, an important consideration in view of the Senate's fallure to elect a president pro temporer when ill health caused the retirement of Senator Frye, of Maine, from that office. But that is another story, proving at least one successful combination of Democrats and insurgents at the present extra session of Congress.

The Secretary of State when the narriage of Miss Mollie Dodge, the marriage of Miss Mollie Dodge, daughter of Colonel and Mrs. Harrison the marriage of Miss Mollie Dodge, the marriage of Miss Mollie Dodge, daughter of Colonel and Mrs. Harrison the marriage of Miss Mollie Dodge, winter residents here, and William S. Cushing, of New York Miss Dodge made her debut in Washing to Cushing of New York Miss Dodge, winter re

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the Western States, to investigate the working of woman's suffrage for his government, which is considering the granting full suffrage to women, including the right to be represented in Farliament by their own sex. Durning her husband's absence from the legation, Countess Moltke, with her baby daughter, were guests of her mother, Mrs. Nathaniel Thayer, at the latter's summer home neaf Boston, and incidentally attending to the details by which she assumed control of the several millions recently left to her by her father.

Madame Loudon, wife of the minsister of the Netherlands, is another American chatchine of a foreign legation home in Washington, to inheritately a tidy fortune, the interest of which alone will enable her to gratify her taste for handsome, correct dessains, as becomes her station, and wither charity, enarty, Henri Martin, secretary of the Swiss

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Henri Martin, secretary of the Swiss egation, who is one of the younges epidomats, whose engagement to a rich Americain. Is hourly expected, but Vanity Fair sayeth not yet which of he several young ladies to whom ha is more than attentive is to be Madama Martin, ere another season waxes and wanes.

GRACE PORTER HOPKINS,

Wilmington Social News

[Special to The Times-Dispatch] Wilmington, Va. July 29.—Andrew Kent, of Dexter, New Mexico, is visitaling relatives in Fluvanna.

J. E. Hughes, of Richmond, spend last Sunday with his sister, Mrs. G. W. Holland.

Holland.

Miss Nannie Loving and brother, Phillip, paid a visit to relatives in Fluvanna Sunday last.

Mrs. J. O. Shepherd, of Palmyra, visited Mrs. G. W. Holland recently, Grafton Goodwin is at home on his vacation. vacation.

Mrs. H. W. Ellet and daughter, who
have been visiting Mrs. A. O. Bell, have
returned to Richmond.
Miss Lizzic McGeheë is visiting Mrs.
O. L. Kent, of Kent's Store.

